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Dear Ms. Summerson and Mr. Bishop,

I strongly object to the decision, even the thought to use Yucca Mountain as a repository for nuclear waste. It is both a hazardous and heinous way to dispose of nuclear waste.

Yucca Mountain is one of the holiest sites for the Native American Shoshone tribe. It is used by their tribe as a site for herb-gathering, rituals, and is a centerpiece to many Shoshone stories. It's not morally right that nuclear waste, one of the most dangerous waste materials in the world, is going to be dumped at this place, one that is so holy for one of our proud native tribes.

Not inly is it morally wrong, but it is very dangerous to not only everybody around the mountain, but everyone near any waste as it is being transferred to the site. By transferring large amounts of waste from all over the country, you are putting many innocent, law abiding, tax-paying Americans in danger by exposing them to highly-dangerous nuclear waste. One exposure doesn't do too much harm, but after many exposures, these innocent Americans will grow deathly ill.

For these reasons I strongly disagree with the decision to store dangerous nuclear waste at Yucca Mountain. It's a heinous act to defile the spot that is so holy to the Shoshone tribe. Not only this, but it is dangerous to anyone that is exposed to the deadly waste in transport to the mountain. In the end, it's a bad idea that will negatively effect many innocent people who it shouldn't

Sincerely, Joshua John Bidwell concerned citizen of Victorville, California

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